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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

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Sir:

This Amendment After Final Rejection is being filed in response to the Final Office Action mailed from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on September 9, 2004 in the above-identified application. A Notice of Appeal from the Final Office Action dated September 9, 2004, including a Petition for Extension of Time and appropriate fees, are being filed concurrently.

This Amendment After Final is being filed to reduce issues for appeal, and to place the claims in better condition for appeal. Entry of this Amendment After Final will not require further search or examination of the claims. Entry of this Amendment After Final is requested.

Please amend the application as follows: